



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:
William W. Shumway

Serial No.: **10/829,484**

Filed: **April 22, 2004**

Title: **Polymer-Based, Surfactant-Free
Emulsions and Methods of Use
Thereof**

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Group Art Unit: **1712**

Examiner: **FIGUEROA, JOHN J.**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JUNE 16, 2006**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Specification** are reflected in the selected paragraphs that begin on page 3 of this paper;
- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 6 of this paper;
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper; and
- **Summary** begins on page 24 of this paper.

An extension of time is needed for this response and a check providing the fee for same is enclosed. A fee is also due and a check providing same is included for the enclosed terminal disclaimer. A fee is not believed needed for this amendment to the claims. However, if the Examiner or the Commissioner determines that any further fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge that fee, along with the fee for the additional submission of documents under form PTO-1449 which are submitted herewith, as well as any other fees that may be due for this application (except the issue fee), to undersigned's deposit account, if a check for same is not found to be enclosed or is found to be insufficient.

Please amend the application as indicated below.